

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YAVAPAI

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DATE: <u>6-16-11</u>	✓
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HON. WARREN R. DARROW
CASE NO. P1300CR20081339 ✓
P1300CR201001325

SANDRA K MARKHAM, CLERK
BY: R. Hagen, Deputy Clerk
DATE: June 16, 2011

TITLE:
STATE OF ARIZONA,

(Plaintiff)

v

STEVEN CARROLL DeMOCKER,

(Defendant [D- 1])

COUNSEL:
Yavapai County Attorney
By Jeffrey Paupore
Steve Young
(Via OnBase),

(Counsel For Plaintiff)

Craig A. Williams
DeRienzo and Williams
(Electronically Mailed)
(Counsel for Defendant)
and

Greg Parzych
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Chandler, Arizona 85224
(Co-Counsel For Defendant)

HEARING ON:	NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS	COURT REPORTER
STATUS / PRETRIAL CONFERENCE		Mina Hunt
START TIME: <u>8:08 a.m.</u>		

APPEARANCES: Jeffrey Paupore, Co-Counsel for State (Telephonic)
Steve Young, Co-Counsel for State
Craig Williams, Co-Counsel for Defendant
Greg Parzych, Co-Counsel for Defendant (Telephonic)
Steven DeMocker, Defendant (In Custody)
Chris Moeser, Counsel for Western News & Info (Telephonic)
Julie Bachman, Victim Services Representative

The Court calls P1300CR20081339 due to outstanding records issues even though the case is technically dismissed.

The Court notes there is a pending motion.

Counsel for Western News & Info addresses the Court regarding the records request. Counsel for State has no objection to the request as stated today. Counsel for Defendant prefers to wait until the questionnaires go out. The Court advises Counsel for Western News & Info that the time will not change and that the Order is in place.

The Court and Counsel discuss the request for disclosure and the request for an expedited ruling. The Court requests an actual background. Counsel present their respective positions. Counsel for State avows that there was no agreement, plan or scheme to spy on the defense team. No staff member was ever ordered, suggested or hinted in any way to seek out sealed *ex parte* records. Counsel for Defendant addresses the Court regarding the ultimate facts it seeks to discover. Counsel for State avows the people litigating the case for the State did not know who was consulted by the defense. Discussion ensues.

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The Court states the question is to find out who knew what and that this needs to get done with the least amount of distraction and wasted effort. Counsel provide the Court with their suggestions. The Court and Counsel review the items requested by Defense.

IT IS ORDERED granting the request for disclosure; specifically, the request contained on page 2 of 5 of the Motion.

Counsel for State shall respond by June 24th and Counsel for Defendant shall reply by July 1st.

At 8:50 a.m. Mr. Paupore leaves the hearing.

The Court and Counsel discuss the questionnaires. The State endorses and approves the Court's proposed Jury Questionnaire. The Court will review Defense's proposed questionnaires.

Counsel for Defense moves the Court to issue a ruling regarding the bond issue. Discussion ensues. The Court confirms the bond set in P1300CR201001325 is left in place.

END TIME: 9:02 a.m.

cc: Victim Services (e)
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